

January 10, 1984

LB 150, 183, 394, 952-953

647 and 843.

Mr. President, new bills. (Read LB 952-953 by title for the first time as found on pages 349-350 of the Legislative Journal.)

Mr. President, Senator Fenger asks unanimous consent to add his name to LB 150 and Senator Hefner to 183.

Mr. President, finally I have notice of hearing from the Education Committee for Tuesday, January 17, or from the Banking Committee, excuse me.

SPEAKER NICHOL PRESIDING

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CLERK: Mr. President, 394 was introduced by Senators Kahle, Sieck, Howard Peterson, Remmers, Von Minden, Chronister and Lowell Johnson. (Read.) The bill was read on January 17th of last year. It was referred to the Judiciary Committee for hearing. It was advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending, Mr. President.

SPEAKER NICHOL: Senator Beutler, the committee amendment.

SENATOR BEUTLER: Mr. Speaker, members of the Legislature, the basic concept and the basic idea in this particular bill is to give counties other than Lancaster and Douglas County the power to create County Board of Corrections, to run the county jails instead of the sheriffs running the jails. Now Lancaster and Douglas County already have Boards of Corrections so they are not involved in this particular piece of legislation and the concept doesn't require the setting up of Boards of Corrections but it leaves it within the county's discretion to set up such boards if they so choose. Now the committee amendments are extensive, in fact, they are the bill. It deletes all the sections of the bill and the bill is contained in the white copy which are the committee amendments. Ordinarily you might think that this represents some serious disagreement on the part of the committee with the sponsors but that is not at all the case. What simply happened is that the committee did a computer run on all different sections that are affected by...or